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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of \$420 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$1320** for a Large Entity

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162.00 OP

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$420**
  - **\$258** for **3** independent claims over 3.
  - **\$162** for **9** total claims over 20.

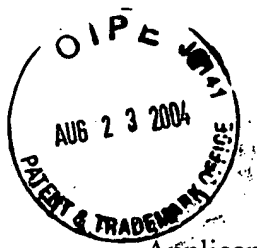
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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: D. Dehghan et al.

Attorney Docket No.: MSFT122464

Application No.: 10/799,351

Filed: March 12, 2004

Title: UPDATE DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE AND METHOD  
FOR DISTRIBUTING SOFTWARE

### TRANSMITTAL OF MISSING PARTS OF PATENT APPLICATION/ REQUEST FOR RECORDATION OF ASSIGNMENT/ PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101

August 20, 2004

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Transmitted herewith are the following:

- X 1. An executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- X 2. An Assignment of the invention to Microsoft Corporation. A Recordation Form Cover Sheet prepared in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.31 is attached to the Assignment, along with a separate check for the recordation fee. Please record this Assignment in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.11.
- X 3. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts.
- X 4. The following additional documents: Information Disclosure Statement. Copies of the listed publications are enclosed for the Examiner's use.

#### COMPUTATION OF FEE

	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate	
Basic Fee						770
Total Claims	29 - 20	=	9	x	18	= 162
Independent Claims	6 - 3	=	3	x	86	= 258
Multiple Dependent Claim				+		
Surcharge				+	130	130
Extension of Time				+	110	110
TOTAL						\$1430

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B. Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants respectfully request that the period for response to the outstanding Office Action dated May 27, 2004, set to expire on July 27, 2004, be extended by 1 month, to expire on August 27, 2004. The enclosed check includes the 1-month extension fee of \$110.00.

C. Fees Enclosed

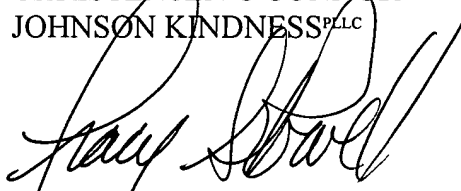
Enclosed is our Check No. 157604 in the amount of \$1,430.00 to cover the requisite fees.

D. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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